

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Alan L. Billings and Gregory Zilker
Serial No. : 10/720,902
For : GROOVED SINGLE FACER BELT
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED
JANUARY 27, 2009**

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on January 27, 2009, setting a three-month period for response ending April 27, 2009, please consider the following remarks.

An Amendment to the Claims is reflected in the listing of the claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.